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## Chamber of Commerce

By the Secretary

The writer attended the Farmers Short Course at College Station the past week and his observations while there thoroughly convinced him that the lectures and demonstrations are very valuable, not only to boys and girls who desire to learn more about advanced agriculture, but to actual farmers. The program was so varied and covered so many subjects that it was not possible to see all of it, and in fact he was informed by one of the officials that it would require an attendance of something like three months for one to get over the course. Poultry, dairying and tree planting absorbed the attention of a lot of people including myself, and valuable information was received on the propagation of trees and plants. Thousands of farmers and their wives from east and northeast Texas were there, with a good sprinkling from south and west Texas. It is my opinion that there is not a farmer in Terry county who would not benefit largely from attendance at one of these courses, and it is hoped that a larger number will take advantage of the course next year, as the expense is not great. The next matter to claim our attention will be the county fair, which is set for September 28-29. County Agent Davis, the writer and a few other citizens will work out the list this week and it is hoped that we will have it ready for printing in the Herald of the next issue. Let us all work together and make this the best fair ever pulled off in the county. One man cannot put it over and it is going to take the co-operation of all the communities.

A meeting of the Fort Worth-Roswell Highway Association has been called for Rotan on the 21st. Each of the two previous meeting dates has brought general rains over the entire territory and caused cancellations. It is more than likely that we will need additional moisture by the 21st, and maybe precedent will be followed. Wonder if our people know that the Fort Worth-Roswell route was the only open road to points in the east during the recent heavy rains? Portions of the Bankhead between Sweetwater and Abilene were closed to travel, and all traffic between Snyder and Post was abandoned. News items from Rotan stated that more tourists were passing thru their town than had been the case at any time in their history. Citizens of Brownfield, in routing tourists east, should send them via Clairmont, Rotan, Hamlin, Stamford and Albany. They will travel over better highways and the distance will be shorter. Our main difficulty at this time seems to be that our people are sending tourists via Snyder and Sweetwater, when they should be sent by Clairmont and Rotan. Those going east, if they are pleased with the route will send others over it.

## Hobbs Well Establishing Truth of Its Claim

Parties who arrived from the Hobbs well the first of the week, and who have been watching the well for the past few days, spent a few hours in Seagraves, and states that on last Thursday the cap was removed and 125 barrel flow was registered in 55 minutes. The company has ordered two 20,000 barrel tanks and as soon as they arrive they will be installed and the well turned loose in order to make a thoro test as to its flow. This party, who is known to the writer, has worked in the oil fields for many years and states that there is no doubt but that a good field will be opened at Hobbs. While on this trip of inspection, he followed the structure from Hobbs north to Bledsoe where he found the same indication existed and that the entire section would, in the next few months, be tested out.—Seagraves Signal.

### TO THE VOTERS

I take this method of thanking you for your support in the past. Your confidence in me will be rewarded by a faithful discharge of the duties of the office of County Treasurer. Faithfully,  
Wilburn Pippin

## To the Patrons of the Brownfield School

As I leave the supervision of the Brownfield Schools, it is my pleasure to report to you that the high school is fully affiliated in the way that most people think of affiliation, with the exception of first year science. In other words, eighteen of the nineteen subjects taught in the high school that you have made provision for, have been affiliated. There have been 20 courses offered, but one of them, Home Economics, is too badly crowded for room to even think of asking for credit. I shall be glad to hear, in the near future, that Brownfield folks have decided that they need a bigger school program, and are expressing that thought to the school by providing a \$75,000 or \$100,000 investment in buildings, and that they have invited other communities to join with them in the advantages of a bigger and better school.

In my judgement no community can invest too much money in education if it is properly used. At least every community should invest enough in buildings and equipment to teach the subjects that are used in the preparation of men and women to follow the vocation that leads in that community. This is an agricultural section of the state and Brownfield should at an early date provide for both Home Economics and Vocational Agriculture by buildings and equipment for training the boys and girls along that line. The county club work is demonstrating this need very forcefully.

I wish to thank everyone who has taken a part in making Brownfield school a better school by bringing the standard of work up to where the State Department as well as Colleges every where will recognize our students as being properly prepared to do advanced work. And especially do I thank the student body as a whole for their increased interest in taking the advantages offered by the patrons for them to get more and better educational work. A comparative record of the past years work has been completed and the school stands above the average among the schools compared. Our graduates who have been away at school have shown their ability to stand above the average there. In the last analysis of judging a school it may be judged by its products. So I say to the boys and girls who are to yet finish their work in Brownfield High strive to make each succeeding year better than the last. The superintendent for the coming year will soon be on the field to take up the work and I wish for him the same hearty support that has been given the school in the past four years. We shall always be glad when word comes that Brownfield school is making another big step in its school history. May the school continue to grow from year to year.

—O. W. Fagala.

## Local Youth May Have Been Kidnapped

Billy Burleson, 14, the adopted son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Burleson, who live south of Brownfield, was last seen about 5 o'clock last Saturday afternoon in Brownfield. He is described as fair complected, blue eyes, light hair, walks slightly leaning forward, has slight Northern accent, a large scar on thigh, likes to read magazines and newspapers and comment on current events; does not smoke. He left here wearing light gray cap, mottled gray pants, white shirt, tie, low quarter black shoes but no coat. His foster parents appeared to be greatly in distress, and fear foul play as it is alleged that the boy has been threatened by his father. Any information about him will be greatly appreciated by them or the Sheriff's department here, who can be wired collect. No punishment is intended to be inflicted on the boy if he returns.

Pyote—Two progress notes of Pyote include work going forward rapidly on the new Pyote school building and installation of gas.

Herald tells more than your letter.

## How Terry County Voted Sat. July 28th

The following is the official results of the vote cast by Terry county people Saturday, July 28, in the State, District and County races:

U. S. Senator	
Thomas L. Blanton	488
Jeff. McLemore	9
Earl B. Mayfield	387
Alvin Owsley	133
Minnie F. Cunningham	54
Tom Connally	154
Congress of 18th Dist.	
J. Ross Bell	677
Marvin Jones	703
For Governor	
Dan Moody	856
Wm. E. Hawkins	79
Edith E. Wilmans	29
Louis J. Wardlaw	529
Lieut. Governor	
John D. McCall	103
J. D. Parnell	88
Thos. B. Love	388
H. L. Darwin	51
Barry Miller	572
Comptroller	
S. H. Terrell	793
J. D. Jones	419
State Treasurer	
Grover C. Harris	516
W. Gregory Hatcher	613
Com. Gen. Land Office	
Otis Terrell	277
J. T. Robinson	714
E. I. Flint	98
H. A. Britton	104
Attorney General	
Claud Pollard	1567
State Superintendent	
H. P. Davis	394
S. M. N. Marrs	513
H. F. Garner	108
W. E. James	160
Com Agriculture	
Geo. B. Terrell	1470
State Railroad Com.	
Jefferson Smith	417
Lon. A. Smith	716
As. Jus. Sup. Court	
Thos. B. Greenwood	1552
Judge Court Crim. Ap.	
Lee P. Pierson	456
W. C. Morrow	671
As. Jus. Court Crim. Ap.	
M. J. R. Jackson	1576
State Senator	
Pink L. Parish	1539
Rep. 119th District	
J. K. Wester	391
Carl Roundtree	812
District Attorney	
T. L. Price	1561
County Judge	
H. R. Winston	846
J. B. Jackson	456
A. L. Burnett	351
County Clerk	
Rex L. Headstream	905
Jay Barret	742
County Attorney	
W. W. Price	1599
Sheriff and Tax-Col.	
C. C. Prim	33
J. S. Smith	399
J. K. Cunningham	78
B. S. Westbrook	42
J. W. Fitzgerald	56
E. Brown	319
J. M. Telford	404
F. M. Ellington	335
Tax-Assessor	
Sam L. Pyeant	1647
County Treasurer	
Wilburn Pippin	1634
Com. Pre. No. 1	
W. E. Harred	216
L. L. Brock	239
Com. Pre. No. 2	
J. R. Whatley	169
W. F. Stewart	272
T. E. Verner	84
Com. Pre. No. 3	
J. W. Lasiter	199
W. E. Legg	93
Com. Pre. No. 4	
W. M. Goldston	110
G. M. Thomason	116
W. J. Moss	49
W. H. Hight	73
Public Weigher Pre. 1	
Marion B. Stone	414
B. W. Stinson	172
J. W. Moss	149
S. A. Lauderdale	145
S. F. Lane	293
Public Weigher, Pre. 4	
R. A. Crews	76
P. R. Cates	85
Public Weigher Pre. 2	
W. A. Harrison	37
County Chairman	
Joe McGowan	491
J. F. Winston	706

## Nice Showers Fall Here Early Thursday

From the looks of the clouds that hung around in the south Wednesday night, the south portion of the county must have received rain early that night, but it did not rain in Brownfield until some time before daylight Thursday morning, at which time we received perhaps one-third of an inch. Just which way it came from the writer is not prepared to say as he was very much in the lap of morpheus at that time, and only the roar of nearby thunder aroused him. None of the county is suffering for rain that we know of, and too much of the good thing, it is feared, may bring on the leaf or boll worm.

## Rural Route One Gets Another Extension

Effective August 16, there will be added another extension to Rural Route No. 1 from this office, and all patrons affected by this extension will please take notice, and have your boxes erected by the above date. Patrons and those who are to become patrons on this new extension should have their boxes erected, and in good condition, and if you are a new patron on the route, leave a list of the names of your families in the box. Erect box on a smooth place, do not place box directly on top of the post, but place an arm extending out from the box some two feet or more. Have box at least four feet high. Boxes must be in good serviceable condition, and must have a flag. This applies to the old patrons as well as the new. Your box must have a flag and not a rag or piece of plank or something for a flag. The government expends annually approximately \$105,000,000 for the maintenance of rural routes that the rural people may have the advantages of the city people, and it is expected that rural route patrons keep their boxes up in good condition at all times as a matter of pride and show that they appreciate the service Uncle Sam is extending them. I notice in making inspection trips over this route that a number of patrons have their boxes erected across the bar pit from the road, and in a few instances the carrier is necessitated to get out of his vehicle to make delivery of mail. This will be discontinued except at times when roads are being repaired, and patrons are asked now to erect their boxes on the roadside of the bar pit. Another thing that I wish to call to the attention of the patrons is the persistency in leaving loose coins, especially pennies in the mail box. This practice must be discontinued. Meet the carrier and purchase your stamps, as you do at the postoffice, and have all first class mail stamped when placed in your box as far as practicable. According to the information available, Brownfield yet has the longest rural route in the United States. I ask all the patrons to cooperate in every way with their carrier, that they may get the very best of service. This route will be approximately 84 miles in length, and there will be more than 200 boxes, and they must be as conveniently located as possible for the carrier to reach them, serve your box and get on to the next. We find that some patrons locate their boxes inconvenient on purpose, or it appears that way to us, and we ask this to be discontinued. Another thing I desire to stress here is the repair of roads over which the route traverses. The patrons do not take any interest in keeping roads repaired, and if roads get impassable, we find in most cases that the county commissioner is called upon to repair them. This ought not to be so. Patrons, you have enough interest in your mail service to do a little repair work on your roads, please bear this in mind, and when you see a bad place appear near your home or mail box, jump in and fix it. Let's work together for better roads and better mail service. Yours for service,  
J. C. Bohanan, Postmaster.

Hamlin — Hamlin, fast growing town in the northwest part of Jones county, is in need of a new hotel.

## Local Laundry Sells To Lubbock Company

Mr. S. H. Shelton, owner and manager of the Brownfield Steam Laundry announced Monday morning that the Lubbock Laundry Company had purchased the plant here and had taken charge that morning.

We understand that it is the intention of the firm to continue the services of the plant here, provided it pays them, and that they would put experienced men in charge here that know the laundry business from the start to finish, and would endeavor to give the people here just as good service as they will be able to get in any city.

With this in view, Brownfield people should think twice before sending their laundry out of town, for with the closing of the plant here it means the cutting off of a considerable pay roll from the city, not to mention rather heavy tax payers that are helping to keep up our local schools and the community in general. The local laundry has never been a very heavy contributor to the support of the Herald, but we have never let that matter stand in our way of supporting it, both editorially and also by giving them our work. It will be the same with the new management. Whether they care to support the Herald in the way of advertising or not, that is their business, also their loss, but the Herald is always with local enterprises, both morally and financially as far as our limited means go.

Through the Herald Mr. Shelton wishes to thank his many customers for all past favors, and asks them to support the institution under the new management even more than under himself in order to make it a paying proposition. Let us get behind our laundry and make sure that it stays in Brownfield.

Quit sending out great wagon loads of laundry to outside plants. Help yourself and the town by helping the laundry.

## Considerable Building Going On Here Now

There is probably more building going on here now than for several months, and if the cotton and feed crop prospects keep looming up as now, there will be no telling how much building and improving will be carried out this fall and winter. Besides the building operations here, there are now several substantial residences under construction in the country surrounding Brownfield. The farm people of this section like good homes, and good, modern homes spell contented families.

There is now under construction for the firm of Hudgens and Knight a 40 x 50 foot warehouse of tile in the rear of their store building, in which they will store heavy hardware, furniture and groceries, thus giving them more space to display such in the front of their building. This gives them a total of 50 x 140 feet, not counting a large balcony. We are glad to see this progressive firm enlarging its quarters.

Contractor Roy Wingerd got his crew of workmen started on the foundation for the big Holgate-Endersen building Monday morning, and by Tuesday afternoon they began pouring concrete for the foundation. This big building more fully described last week will be a distinct credit to our city.

### MARRIED

Mr. Earnest Sealey of O'Donnell and Miss Eva Mayfield of this city, appeared at the Methodist parsonage about 4 p. m. Saturday, where Pastor John W. Chisholm said the words that united them for life. We understand that the happy young couple will make O'Donnell their future home.

Lockney — A campaign committee is at work interesting citizens here in securing a modern hotel for Lockney.

Dodsonville — Farmers between Wellington and Dodsonville are soon to be served by a new low voltage high line.

## Planting of Scrub Seed Shows Up Now

The writer and family, accompanied by our nephews, Benton and Alton Stricklin, from Grandview, Texas, visited our nephew, Aubrey Thomas and wife, of Ropes, Sunday, and made a very nice day of it, thank you.

In the afternoon he wanted to show us his increasing little herd of pure blooded Hereford cattle, and in doing so he took us in his flivver and drove around by the field of growing crops. He would have a strip of perhaps 20 acres of cotton, then a strip of corn or row feed crops would set in for 20 or 30 more acres. Over near the back of the field, and all at once the cotton appeared only about two-thirds as high, almost to a row, and thinking it had been planted much later, we called his attention to it. No, he said, I ran out of good seed there and finished with bollie seed. Right then and there we became an even more firm believer and advocate of good planting seed.

And why not? Do you expect to get blooded cattle from scrub sires and dams? Does one pick out the nubbins when they plant corn? We can remember when they picked out the string sweet potatoes to bed out, and we also remember that they got a lot of strings in return. Now the real sweet potato breeders and planters seed out the best they have, and if the hog, cow or horse man isn't able to afford good dams, they at least get the best sires possible. The same with anything else. If we want the maximum crop on the minimum ground, we are obliged to, first, get the best seed possible, and good cultivation will do the rest. It is unnecessary to say that Aubrey will ever waste his time and rich soil with the bollie seed again. No stand either.

At noon we had a typical farmers dinner with all the trimmings of pie and cake, and it was put up right, toboot. He had beans, carrots, new potatoes, rhubarb, canteloupes, tomatoes, and nearly every other good thing you can think of in the garden. He brought eggs to Brownfield in the early spring to the hatchery, and the output of those eggs are just right now for consumption. Two of those long legged Rhode Island Reds adorned the center of the board, fried to a turn, with cream gravy on the side. Man! Man alive!

## Many of Our Merchants Off to Market

Several of our dry goods merchants and their departmental buyers are off to market this week, and readers will find that the dry goods representation in the Herald this week is rather shy, but upon their return they promise to regale the reader with much advertising. Those who are away may be found in the society columns, and others are preparing to get away as soon as possible.

With the fine crop prospects in view, these merchants informed us they were going to buy some of the largest and most varied stocks ever seen in Brownfield, and we want the reader to wait for their return before buying his fall needs, as it will be absolute folly to go any further than Brownfield this fall for your needs in any line.

Not only are the dry goods men off to market, but other lines including furniture. Wait and buy at home and save time, trouble and money.

### NAZARENE SERVICES

There will be preaching Saturday night, August 11, at the First Presbyterian church by Rev. Mrs. Myrtle Ahern and Sunday at 2:30 by Rev. Mrs. Ethel Morris. There will be good singing.

Come and worship God with them. They want to do you good.

Compromise may be cowardly, but it's better than driving head-on and wrecking yourself against a stone wall.

Abernathy — Overhauling of the Abernathy gin plants will get underway at once.



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#### LOOK THROUGH YOUR OLD SUITS

Said Brown to Jones, "Your new suit fits you fine, I'd surely give a lot if it were mine."  
Said Jones, "That new stuff is all the bunk. Wifey found this in the attic in a trunk. It's a last year's suit that I'd thrown away. She just had it cleaned and pressed to-day."

CITY TAILORS

(To be continued)

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#### TUNNEY RETAINS WORLDS CHAMPIONSHIP

In as spectacular a heavyweight fight as has ever been contested Gene Tunney, World's Heavyweight Boxing Champion, retained his title last Thursday night by knocking out Tom Heenev, New Zealand challenger, in the eleventh round of a scheduled fifteen round bout.

Stadium, New York City, and was fought before a crowd of people estimated at from 60,000 to 65,000. The fight the first two or three rounds was almost a draw, but soon after that Tunney took the aggressive and from then on pummeled Heenev at will, dealing severe blows to the head and body, that eventually proved his defeat in the eleventh round.

The fight took place in the Yankee

Send the Herald to a relative 1.50

#### TO THE VOTERS OF TERRY COUNTY

I desire to express my gratitude to the few loyal friends and supporters who aided me in my campaign, and voted for me on July 28th, and I assure the entire citizenry of Terry county that I bear no ill will, and have no unkindly feelings toward any one. I am as ever eager to co-operate with all the people for the betterment of my county and state.

Jim Cunningham.

Mr. Vinson, night make-up man on the Avalanche, was down this week visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Vinson.

S. M. Gray sends the Herald to his son, E. V., of Rochelle, Texas. He says he believes that will be long enough to get him out here.

On a 10-day vacation the County Treasurer left Monday with his father J. T. Pippin and his sister for Oklahoma and Arkansas. Wilburn says that he is going to see places that he has never seen before but has longed to behold.

Miss May Wilson of Trinidad, Colorado, is here this week visiting her friend, Mrs. R. L. Harriss. Mrs. Harriss and Miss Wilson formerly taught in the same school in Colorado before the former married.

Everyone likes to encourage honest and intelligent enthusiasm.

Olney—A vocational extension secretary is now at work in Olney territory.

#### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

A. M. BROWNFIELD, No. 1090 vs. W. F. WILSON, et al., in the District Court, Terry County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Terry once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon W. F. WILSON and his wife, Beulah E. Wilson whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden

at the Court House thereof, in the city of Brownfield on the 4th Monday in August A. D. 1928, the same being the 27th day of August A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1090 wherein A. M. Brownfield is plaintiff, and W. F. Wilson and his wife, Beulah E. Wilson are defendants; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows to-wit: To foreclose plaintiffs Vendor's Lien on the West half of the Southwest Quarter of Section 101 in Block "T" in Terry county, Texas, to satisfy balance owing on note of date Sept. 28th, 1923, signed by Wm. R. Farmer, payable to plaintiffs order default having been made in payment of installments due thereon, and plaintiff having declared all of said note due and payable; for order of sale; said land having been sold to said Wm. R. Farmer, by plaintiff and Vendor's Lien reserved securing payment of note for principal sum of \$2,600.00, and said Wm. R. Farmer, joined by his wife, having conveyed said land to R. L. Brown, and R. L. Brown, joined by his wife, having conveyed said land to the defendants, W. F. Wilson and his wife, Beulah E. Wilson.

HEREIN FAIL NOT, but have you before said Court on the said first day of next term thereof this writ with your return thereon, showing how you have executed the same.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in the City of Brownfield, Texas, this the 24th day of July, A. D. 1928.

WITNESS, Jay Barret, Clerk of District Court in and for Terry County, Texas.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO EXEMPT FROM TAXATION PARSONAGES, AND CERTAIN PROPERTY OF ASSOCIATIONS FOR RELIGIOUS, EDUCATIONAL AND PHYSICAL DEVELOPMENT

H. J. R. No. 20.)

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION. Proposing an amendment to Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution of the State, so as to authorize the Legislature to exempt from taxation any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society, and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; providing for an election upon such proposed Constitutional Amendment, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 2, Article 8 of the Constitution be so changed as to read hereafter as follows:

All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men and young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property above mentioned shall be null and void.

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1928, at which election all voters favoring said proposed amendment shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "For the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry"; and all those opposed shall write or have printed on their ballots the words "Against the Amendment to the Constitution of the State of Texas, exempting from taxes property owned by churches or strictly religious societies for the exclusive use as dwellings for the ministry."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have same published as required by the Constitution and existing laws of the State.

Sec. 4. The sum of Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury of the State not otherwise appropriated to pay the expenses of said publication and election.

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Am ready for any hauling you want done. Just call 71 and I'll get right on the job.

S. A. Lauderdale

### OH! BOY

That Quality Repair Shop is fine. Miles and miles of satisfactory service is still in your old car if you have it repaired at

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The very best repair service at a reasonable price. Have us do you that electric paint job, the cheapest in the long run

JNO. E. SCOTT, Service Dept.

HARDIN-BURNETT CO.

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All the power and light you want, and when you want it. The best SERVICE possible for Brownfield people, by a plant owned and operated by and for the Tax-payers of Brownfield.

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Collector

YOUR OWN POWER AND LIGHT PLANT

### JUST PEEK INTO

Your mirror and see if a fresh hair cut or shave wouldn't help your appearance wonderfully. Nobody, man or woman or child can have that perfectly groomed look without the right hair cut. Come have it cut by an expert.

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CHICKEN CHOWDER will make your hens lay more eggs at less cost.—See Bowers Brothers. ttc

SAVE RENT: Houses built on installment plan. See C. D. Shamburger, City. 4-24c

FOR SALE OR TRADE 1925 model Ford coupe. Still has the first casings on it. Mrs. A. J. Akers, city. 8-10p.

FEDERAL FARM LOANS at 5 1/2 per cent interest, and 34 years and six months time on them. For particulars, see C. R. Rambo.

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FOR SALE: Ford Touring and Overland cars, for sale or trade; both in A-1 condition. See Otis Draper 7 miles south on Lamesa road. 1tp

GOOD KINDLING WOOD: at \$2.00 per load. Apply at the Herald Office

BED ROOMS for rent block north Brick Garage.—Mrs. Weldon ttc

GET READY for hot weather with a refrigerator from the Brownfield Hardware Co.

REFRIGERATORS any size at the Brownfield Hardware.

FOR SALE or trade, 1925 model Ford coupe; still has first casings on it. Mrs. A. J. Akers, city. 10p

WANTED: We need 500 bushels of shelled corn from the farmers; will pay top price. See English at the mill.—Harrison-McSpadden ttc

COME to Harmony get your faces shortened. See "Yimmie Yonson's Yob." A 3 act comedy-drama chuck full of good Irish comedy and a real good wholesome, clean play, presented by Harmony Literary Society Aug. 4th. Come and forget your troubles for two hours and help us pay for our carbide lights. Adm. 10 and 25. 8-3-c

GRAPES, 3c per pound. See Robt. Holgate at end of Hardin St. 10tfc  
WANTED: Boarders at the Smith Hotel. Meals family style. 31p

FOR SALE: Tools, mules and crop to sell, and rent half section place for three years or will sell place, two sets improvements. 3 miles west Plains. L. Townsend, Plains, Texas. 8-17p

COMPANION WANTED: Boy or young man to share car going to Fort Worth and other points on or about August 15th. Will return. Apply at Herald Office. 1tp

**ROAD DEVELOPMENT LEAPS FORWARD**

Twenty years ago a good rock road for wagon and horse travel was considered the limit of improvement for this method of transportation. Today the bare rock is fast passing into history as a suitable surface for modern traffic.

Pavements have been laid on tens of thousands of miles of rural highways. Where heavy state highways are not warranted, old gravel and macadam road beds are being surfaced with a two or three inch water proof coating of asphaltic concrete. This utilizes the well compacted old road as a base for an economical and efficient method of hard surfacing.

Where even this second type is not warranted, road oil is today being placed on thousands of miles of country roads. It has been found that this method of treatment again preserves the road base by preventing the blowing away in dust of tons of road surfacing, which, in addition to damaging the road, buries the neighboring countryside in a coating of dirt which ruins thousands of dollars worth of crops.

And so the road improvements continue. Wider highways are superseding the narrow pavements and dust proof highways are superseding the dust nuisances of a few years ago.

John Ham, of Ropes is here this week visiting his nephew, Jack Benton, and family.

Tom Woodward of Amarillo, former citizen of this place, was here the past week on business.

Mrs. A. B. Bynum was carried to a Lubbock hospital last week and it is feared that she will have to undergo an operation.

Friends of Miss Annie Lois Easley, former county health nurse here, will be glad to learn that she has recovered from her illness at her home in Dublin, Texas, and is leaving with her brother for Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

It was the intention of the County Agent to have a write-up of the trip to the A. & M. with the club boys, but as he was away most of the first of the week he did not get to it.

Rev. J. N. Hester, of Vega, is visiting his parents here, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and family.

Children are keen observers, and by the time they are ten they know almost as much as their parents.

**FARMERS OF LAHEY WORK CROP OF SICK NEIGHBOR**

On last Thursday, August 2nd, a bunch of the Lahey farmers and a few of Gomez and Forrester farmers met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Edwards to work Mr. Edwards' crop for him. Mr. Edwards has been in bed sick for twenty eight days.

The hoe hands were as follows: C. L. Polk, J. A. Boyer, W. J. Carter, H. J. Bollin, J. H. Spinks, Dewitt Balwin, A. G. Wood, L. P. Wood, Thurman Ragsdale, A. C. Ragsdale, Lancing Hulse, Mr. Gibbs, Odell Fulton, J. W. Raley, Joe Penny, Sam Carrouth, George Murry, M. C. Chambers, G. M. Thomason, Phillip Pride, Jack Kerns, J. W. Bollie, Clifford Nolan, Dan Hulse, J. B. Wood, Mrs. W. J. Carter, Winnie Mae Nolan.

The boys with plows were as follows: B. T. Nolan, Elder Nolan, Chas Stoneman, Halely Kerns, W. M. Thomason, Wiley Brisco, J. B. Bowlin J. F. Thomason, Henry Wright, Sidney Wright, John Penny, E. Hunter.

With W. A. Fulton as field manager on horse back and Mr. Edwards' children helped. Dinner was spread at Mr. Edwards and Mr. Fultons. All had an enjoyable time. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards said that they could not find words to express their thanks to the people for their kindness shown them in the hour of need.

Gay Eaves, printer, of Lubbock, was in our city Tuesday. He reports that the printing business is a little dull up there just at present.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gober and children have returned home at Corsicana after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hester and family a few days. They, like all the rest of the children think this a very fine country and are planning on moving here later. They thought it awful cool here. Mr. Gober reported the grass being something awful back where they live and said farmers were paying \$2.00 per day for hoeing. Mr. Gober is not a farmer.

Henry Chisholm and family, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. G. W. Chisholm left Monday for Sherman, Texas, where they will visit relatives. Miss Virginia Andree, of Sherman, who has been here visiting her uncle, G. W. Chisholm and family, also returned with them.

Mrs. Jack Stricklin and daughter, Sallie T., and niece Evelyn Morgan, of Panhandle, drove to Snyder, Tuesday, to carry Benton and Alton Stricklin, who are on their way home to Grandview after a short visit here.

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6-10c Ice Cream Dishes .....	59c
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and 10c pkg White Swan Tea Free 1.40	

Lima Beans, No. 2 can, 3 for .....	25c
Red Beans, No. 2 can, 3 for .....	25c
Macaroni (Large Package) .....	6c
Spaghette (Large Package) .....	6c
P & G Soap, 6 bars for .....	25c
10 Gal. Cream Cans .....	3.50

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QUART JAR SOUR PICKLES (jar is worth 9c) .....	19c
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## POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The following political announcements are subject to the action of the Democratic primaries the 25th of August, next:

### For Sheriff and Tax Collector:

J. M. (Mun) Telford.  
J. S. Smith.

### For Commissioner Pre. No. 4:

G. M. (Mack) Thomason.  
W. M. Goldston.

### For Weigher, Pre. No. 1:

S. F. (Sig.) Lane  
Marion B. Stone

It appears on the face of returns that the bolters are not very popular with the voters of Texas. Tom Love seems to have gotten further than any of the rest, owing to his popularity otherwise, and the fact that Miller is running for his third term, perhaps. But the returns are nevertheless convincing.

Another suit peddler was in our midst again this week taking orders that rightfully belong to home people. The Herald is willing to pay a small advance in price and patronize the men that patronize us and help us keep up the schools, churches, and other public enterprises of the town. But we do not have to pay an advance price, quality considered. Trade at home.

In retiring Gene Tunney says there will be no real contenders for the belt in the next two or three years at least, and we presume, like Alexander the Great, with no more worlds to conquer, he will set down and shed a few crocodile tears. But, it would seem, Gene likes to roll out a half million of cold berries at a time, and we imagine that he can be introduced at the proper time to "attempt a come-back."

All hands who attended the Farmers Short Course at College Station seem to be more than pleased, whether they are actual farmers or not, and they claim the information they received was worth many times over the expenses of the trip. Farming is fast being put on a scientific as well as a business basis, when that day arrives, we are going to have lots of contented farmers, and the drift will perhaps be "back to the farm" instead of a constant flow the other way.

Crowell—The value of agricultural exhibitions was explained here by Exhibit Agricultural Manager Whiteker of the WTCC lately.

Hereford—Several thousand feet of new sewerage disposal pipe has been laid here.

## Directions For Canning Beans and Corn

The essential things in canning are: first, to insure a good flavor and quality in canned goods we must have fresh vegetables to can. Second, we must successfully combat all impurities of spoilage such as molds, yeast, bacteria. This may be done by proper preheating and blanching. Third, make a perfect seal.

The following procedure has been proven successful in canning beans: Gather the beans not more than an hour before you are ready to can, preferably early in the morning. Wash the beans thoroughly, then string and cut them to the desired length. Preheat. Add salt, one teaspoon for each quart, and just enough boiling water to cover the beans. Bring to boil and boil for four or five minutes. The purpose of preheating is to drive out air. The beans are ready to pack when they are no longer brittle but will bend without breaking. Pack hot, covering the beans with boiling water in which they are heated. Do not pack too tight. Seal tin cans tight; put rubbers and lids on glass jars but do not seal quite tight. Put cans in steam cooker, process string beans in No. 2 cans for 30 minutes at 10 pounds pressure, No. 3 cans 40 minutes at 10 pounds pressure. Pint cans are to be processed for one hour, be careful not to exceed 10 pounds pressure. Cool quickly, as quick cooling is important with such products as beans, peas, corn, asparagus. As soon as the cans are cool label and store in cool place.

Directions for canning corn: Can only freshly picked, tender, juicy corn. Most of the silk can be removed with the husks. A stiff vegetable brush is useful in removing the silks that cling to the ear. Work fast in every stage of canning corn. Cut corn from the cob without pre-cooking or blanching. Scraping the cob will yield a little extra fine quality product for corn soup. Add just enough boiling water to keep the corn from burning. Season with a teaspoon of salt and two teaspoons of sugar per quart. Cover, bring to boil for three or four minutes—just long enough to make sure the corn is thoroughly heated. Pack boiling hot in No. 2 cans or in quart or pint jars. Shake down rather than press down, leaving about 3-8 inch space at top of each can. Corn swells during cooking. Seal the lid on the cooker but permit the steam to escape before the valve or pet cock is closed. By doing this, the pounds of pressure on the pressure gauge more accurately register the temperature. Process No. 2 cans one and one-half hours at 10 pounds pressure. Bring the pressure up rather slowly in order to get good circulation of the liquid in the cans, otherwise the corn near the outside of the can is over cooked and caramelized before heat penetrates to the center of the can. Pour lukewarm water over the cooker to condense the steam. Condensing the steam before opening the cooker reduces the pressure inside the cans and thus lessens the strain on the seal. With corn, quick cooling is very important. It keeps the corn brighter, it stops the cooking, thus helping to prevent an over cooked flavor. Remove the cans as soon as they are cool enough to handle.

Canning is the utilization of farm products; it is merely the cooking of several meals at one time and it is essential to constructive, progressive farming. It affords an opportunity to have fresh vegetables and meats the entire year; cuts down the cost of extensive grocery bills, eliminates

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### CANNING DEMONSTRATION

Miss Myrtle Murray, district Home Demonstration Agent, from A. & M. College will give four canning demonstrations August 14 and 15.

The demonstrations will be at the school houses of the following places: Meadow, Tuesday 9 to 12 a. m. Pleasant Valley, Tuesday 1:30 to 5:00 in the afternoon.

Gomez, Wednesday 9 to 12 a. m. Forrester, 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.

This will be of special interest to club girls. Don't miss these schools.  
—R. B. Davis, County Agent.

### ORDER OF SALE

State of Texas, County of Terry:—

Whereas, by virtue of an alias execution issued out of District Court of Bell county, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 8th day of March, A. D. 1928; in cause No. 16,993 on the docket of said Court, styled E. L. Sturm vs. A. F. Schofield, wherein the said E. L. Sturm, plaintiff, recovered a judgment against A. F. Schofield, defendant, for the sum of \$1,245.78 with interest thereon from the 8th day of March, A. D. 1927, at the rate of 7 per cent per annum, with 12.90 costs of suit, I did on the 13th day of July, A. D. 1927 at 1:20 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in Terry county, Texas, belonging to said A.

F. Schofield, to-wit: All of the N<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> and all of the SE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 117, in Block D-11, containing 480 acres of land, in Terry county, Texas.

And on the 4th day of September, A. D. 1928, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of ten o'clock A. M., and 4 o'clock P. M., of said day, at the Courthouse door of Terry county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash, all the right, title and interest of said A. F. Schofield in and to said property.

Dated at Brownfield, Texas, this 7th day of August, A. D. 1928.  
(31) F. M. Ellington,  
Sheriff Terry County, Texas

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

J. N. LEWIS No. 1092 vs. L. F. BILBO in the District Court, Terry County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County—

GREETING: You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this citation in some newspaper published in the County of Terry once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon L. F. Bilbo whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County, to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Brownfield, on the Fourth Monday in August A. D. 1928, the same being the 27th day of August A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 24th day of July A. D. 1928, in a suit numbered on the docket of said Court No. 1092 wherein J. N. Lewis plaintiff and L. F. Bilbo defendant; the nature of plaintiff's demands being substantially, as follows: to-wit: suit on a promissory note dated Nov. 28, 1922 for the principal sum of \$380.00

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No. 1 Bert Olney Peas, per can	13c
No. 2 Del Monte Spinach, per can	16c
No. 2 Viene Sausage, 3 cans for	24c
No. 2 16 ounce Peanut Butter, per glass	29c
No. 2 Kraft Cheese, per box	14c
No. 2 Crab Meat, per can	14c
No. 2 Potted Meat, 6 cans	25c
No. 80 K. C. Baking Powder	69c
No. 125 Calumet Baking Powder	1.05
No. 2 Hominy, 6 cans for	54c
No. 2 St. Lawrence Peas, per can	16c
No. 2 Cheese Niblets	12c
4 Boxes Macaroni	25c
Regular 10c Salt	5c
No. 2 Primrose Corn, per can	17c
No. 2 Pink Salmon, per can	19c
No. 2 Red Kidney Beans, per can	16c
boxes Egg Noodles	25c
All Cane Syrup, per gallon	89c
Puffed Rice, per box	12c
Puffed Wheat, per box	12c
Post Toasties, per box	12c
Shredded Wheat, per box	12c
Kellogg Corn Flaes, per box	12c
2 pounds Rice	22c
Large Can Fig Pudding	39c
8 pounds Lard	1.19
Heinz Mustard, per jar	13c
3 Minute Oats, 3 boxes	24c
Regular 40c carton Matches	34c
Regular 25c carton Matches	19c
6 Bars P & G. Soap for	25c
Regular 15c Cocoa for	12c
No. 2 PPeaches, all packed in syrup	22c
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Pure Cane Sugar, 10 pounds	72c
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### EX-GOVERNOR KENTUCKY DIES IN FORCED EXILE

Indianapolis, Ind.—William S. Taylor, 76, whose election as governor of Kentucky in 1899 was declared fraudulent by the legislature of that state, died at his home here today.

Taylor has resided in this city since 1900, at which time he sought protection of the State from charges brought against him in Kentucky in connection with the assassination of Governor-elect William Goebel.

In the 1899 election, Taylor was first declared victor over Goebel in the gubernatorial race. A legislative investigation followed and Goebel was declared the legally elected Governor.

A short time later the Governor was shot from ambush. Taylor entered Indiana, which state has since refused to recognize extradition demands.

### CATTLE REACH HIGH PEAK IN KANSAS CITY

The top price paid for cattle in Kansas City last week was paid, being \$16.25 a hundred pounds. This was the highest price paid in several months. The next highest was when twelve head of Hereford yearling steers brought \$16.00 per hundred pounds, this was last month.

Choice grain fed cattle, it is said, are becoming scarcer at the local yards, and the grass fed cattle show an increase. Prices of this grade of cattle have advanced \$2 to \$3 in a little more than a month.

W. G. Hardin and family left this week for Springtown, Texas where they will visit his mother and other relatives.

### HUNTER NOTES

The community was saddened Sunday with the death of Mrs. Roberts. She took sick Saturday morning and died at one o'clock Sunday. Mrs. Roberts was buried Monday at three o'clock at the Forrester cemetery. The community expresses its sincere sympathy and condolences.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Craver of eastern Oklahoma are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Price.

Miss Ruby Hughes spent another week end with Miss Esther Herndon. Mrs. Hill is on the sick list this week, but we are glad to report that she is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Price spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simms. John Thompson and family, with Harvey Fitzgerald and wife of Brown field visited in the home of J. B. Williams Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrel Hansen spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Williams.

Deward Williams spent Saturday night with Wilburn Bryan.

Ed Holdridge and Delmer Montgomery spent Sunday with Everett Woodall.

Mrs. J. W. Settles came in this week and introduced her new daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Settles of Fort Wingate, N. M. Mrs. Settles has been visiting her mother in Victoria, Texas and her aunt, Mrs. Ophelia Wilhelm, of San Antonio, and was on her way back home in New Mexico, and came by to see her husband's folks. She was accompanied by her aunt from San Antonio.

Miss Queenelle Sawyer is visiting her great grand-mother at Weatherford.

### PLAINS SCHOOL NOTICE

As September draws near school people are facing school problems. This is to give notice that Plains school will offer 4 years high school work this fall. We offer in addition Manual Training, Home Economics and a Commercial Course.

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### NATION TO HEAR SMITH AND HOOVER ACCEPTANCES

The acceptance speeches of both Hoover and Smith will be broadcasted to the entire nation by the National Broadcasting Co. and associated stations as a public service, and without cost to the candidates, it was announced by the president of the company a few days ago. The Hoover speech is to be made August 11th, and Gov. Smith will be notified of his nomination August 22. The ceremony, which will take place on the east steps of the state capitol in New York, and will be broadcasted by a nation-wide net work of radio stations and will begin at 7 p. m., eastern time and is expected to last about one hour and a half. He will deal in most part with prohibition and farm relief. He has also stated that he will stress his ideas about reorganization of federal government functions and government economy.

### THE PLEASANT VALLEY BOOSTERS CLUB

We haven't had a club meeting in several weeks but have been busy getting ready to send our delegate to the Short Course. At least we have not been idle.

Wasn't the rain fine on our gardens and fields.

We are busy now canning cucumbers, beans and peas this week. We expect to get in more work than ever as the corn will be ready and we are going to work together at different houses and make one cooler supply us all as we haven't money to buy but one. We already have four canners and others are planning to buy more. These merchants will surely miss our trade this winter.

We have planted some late gardens such as turnips and beans and cucumbers that are doing nicely. Just a shower or two will put them fine and prospects are fair for one soon.

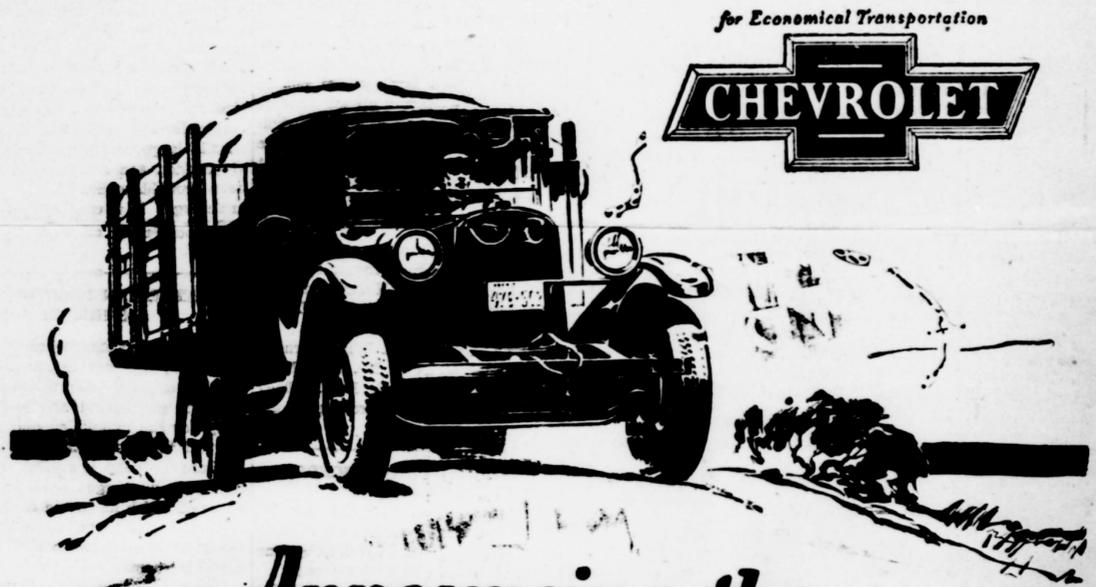
The poultry club members are making some fine records on success with chickens, some haven't lost any and the boys surely are trying their best to make their pig club the best. Most all have made good gains.

With our present prospects we expect to have some good exhibits at the fair this fall and hope to win some blue ribbons.—Reporter.

### TO THE VOTERS

I want to thank each friend that supported me in the primary and assure you that your vote and influence will be highly appreciated on August 25th. I failed to get this in the Aug. 3rd issue of the Herald.

Yours respectfully,  
G. M. (Mack) Thomason.



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### ROTARY CLUB HAD INTERESTING VISITORS FRIDAY

The local Rotary Club had some interesting visitors at its session Friday at the noon hour, among whom was Rev. Lancaster, who is holding the Baptist revival meeting, and who gave one of the most interesting talks we have heard in some time. He is a member of the Kiwanis in his home town of Coleman, Texas, which is similar in its purposes to the Rotary Club. The singer for the revival also favored the club with a solo, which had for its main theme an admonition to watch your step with the girls, but most of the local members are already very much hitched to a star, the song caused more laughter than real serious consideration.

Another gentleman whose name we failed to get, made a short talk, as did also a visiting Rotarian from the state of Ohio, who made an interesting talk in which he paid a glowing tribute to the hospitality and painstaking efforts of the west Texan to assist a stranger in their midst how to get from one point to another. He remarked that in his state they did not seem to like to take the time to explain and talk much to stranger, generally speaking, and show him how much fellow feeling they have.

We hope our people never reach the point when they cannot welcome a stranger within their gates and stop long enough to give him civil directions to where he wants to go, and render such other assistance as he may stand in need of. We are all just humans, no matter how much or little of this world's goods we may possess. A stranger in a strange country is lonesome at best, and if you want to make his heart glow with appreciation, be civil and courteous to him.

### DALLAS BUILDING ONE OF 6,000 USED BY BELL

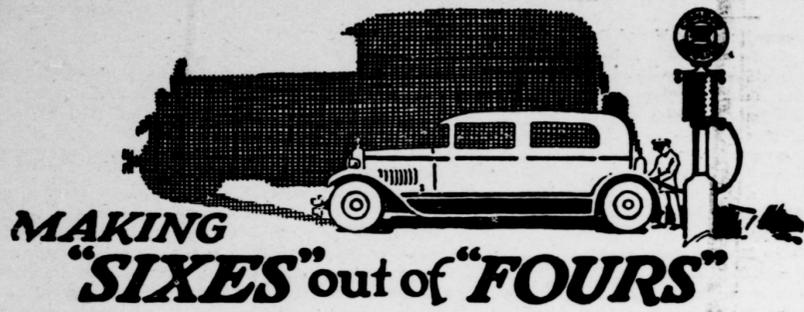
The magnificent headquarters building of the Southwestern Bell Telephone company under construction in Dallas is but one of the 6,000 buildings which the Bell system owns or leases throughout the United States. These range in size from the small repeater stations to buildings covering a whole block and 30 stories in height.

The value of the buildings owned and used by the Bell system is in excess of \$311,000,000, an amount equal to about one and one-quarter times the assessed valuation of the State of Delaware. During 1928 alone, it is estimated, about \$40,000,000 will have to be expended for the purchase of land and construction of new buildings to provide for the current and future needs of the business.

General telephone equipment represents an investment of approximately \$54,000,000 of which \$23,000,000 is represented by office furniture and fixtures, and 14,000 motor vehicles used in connection with the work of the Bell system, and represents an investment of \$18,000. Another \$12,000,000 is invested in tools and implements which include the very latest types of labor saving devices, such as earth boring machines for pole setting, pneumatic equipment for drilling rock and pavement, pole derricks and winches for pulling cables through underground conduits.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Randal of Seymour, Texas, visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Randal. The men are brothers and the ladies are sisters. Mr. and Mrs. Randal had started on a three weeks tour of the western states.

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phere, constitute an impressive advertisement of the advantages to a community which uses gas as fuel."

### THE JOHNSON NEWS

Goodness won't it ever stop raining? If it keeps on raining the worms will have our cotton as they have already started eating on a few of our farmers cotton.

Mrs. Mays Jenkins was taken to the sanitarium at Lubbock last Thursday. The last we heard from her she was doing as well as expected. Miss Francis Jenkins, her sister-in-law is keeping house for her.

Miss Katie Mae Winn has been visiting her sister who lives at Tokio, which she enjoyed very much.

Miss Velma Williamson was greatly

missed Sunday at Sunday School and church on the account of a rising in her car. But we are glad to say she was at singing.

There was a large crowd out to hear Brother Sanders preach Sunday.

We had fine singing Sunday night and every one had a nice time. There will be a league next Sunday night and every one are invited.

The revival meeting which was to be held on the account of the rain.

There will be a party at Miss Ruth Ganes Friday night, August 3, 1928.

There were five 4-H Club members that have gone to the A. and M. College.

Mr. Bill Gore, Mr. Willie Arnett, Mr. Luther Malcolm, Mr. J. L. Newsum and Miss Glennie Pace. They are glad to say they are club members.

### CHALLIS CHALLENGERS

Hey there, club folks did you let the rain drown you? The boys crops and the girls gardens are looking fine after the good rain we have had.

We had a meeting at one of the club members homes last Thursday night. We elected Ollie Tongate to represent our club at the A. and M. college. Our members were all present and there were five visitors. There were some interesting talks made by some of the club members.

We are all going to have a great time when the water melons get ripe. We are going to invite some of you other clubs over to help us eat some of them. Would you come? I bet you would at half a chance.

We all like club work fine, and are going to work, work, and try to win.—Reporter.

### CROP CONDITIONS ARE GOOD THIS YEAR OVER SOUTHWEST

DALLAS, August 9.—General rains over practically all of Texas during the last week in July have been highly favorable to all growing crops, especially cotton, according to reports compiled by the Department of Public Relations of the Southland Life Insurance Company. Up to the time of these rains an entirely peculiar situation prevailed in that a great deal of the cotton producing counties which had early in the season been complaining of too much wet weather, were beginning to suffer from the drouth. This condition, however, has been corrected and unless the rain continues too long, or develops insect infestation, cotton may be said to be in excellent condition.

Conditions are especially good in the Southwest, Central and Northern sections of the state. Crops other than cotton are doing extremely well, one of the best corn crops of years is in the making, vegetable crops are above normal, small grains made at least average crops, and the forage crops are much above the average.

By far, the most encouraging aspect of the entire situation as far as Texas farmers are concerned is the fact that although they have had little or no ready money, many of them have not gone farther into debt during the past nine months and are in a position to have more money at the end of this crop growing season than ever before in their experiences.

An interesting side-light on crop conditions in Texas is the report that the lower Rio Grande Valley shipped 20,640 car loads of fruit and vegetables during the 1927-1928 season. This far exceeds any of the previous seasons and clearly shows the growth of the valley section.

Business all over the state is, of course, suffering from its usual depression, but even this, according to reports, is less than it usually is at this time of the year.

All crops, of course are from 10 to 30 days late. In general it may be said that chances are extremely favorable for the production of an unusually large cotton crop despite the propaganda and influence which has been brought to bear on a decrease in acreage. It is true, however, that raising of larger crops on the West Plains.

### THE AMERICAN LEGION IS NOT IN POLITICS

An ex-service man, as some people call them, are not ex-service men, but they are still ready to aid and assist, and get behind and push anything for the upbuilding and betterment of the community.

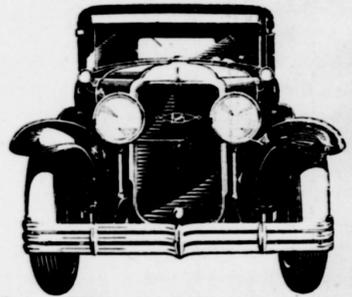
There is today a soldier with an honorable discharge from the U. S. Army of which he served in the war, and who has just as clean and perfect record as any honorable citizen, who is seeking a public office.

For reasons unknown there are false statements being made on the streets of Brownfield and over Terry county that the American Legion is in politics. As Vice-Commander of William Guyton Howard Post of the American Legion, of Brownfield, Texas, I take this opportunity to deny these false rumors. I wish to further inform the public that the American Legion is a national organization, and has never endorsed one of its members for any public office. The local post has never endorsed any man for public office, nor has politics ever been discussed within the Legion hall. C. B. Quante.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

Miss Bessie Baldwin will open a school of Music in Brownfield at the beginning of the fall school term, specializing in violin. Those interested, please

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16 ounce Bottle Catsup	19c
3 1/2 ounce Can Potted Meat	4c
4 pounds Raisins	34c
10 pounds Pinto Beans	89c
10 pounds Sugar (One to a customer)	68c
10c Size Palm Rose Soap	8c
Jar Rubbers per dozen	8c
Soda, per box	8c
Snow Flake Crackers 2 pounds	28c
Salmon, per can	18c
All Kinds Spices	8c
Cocoa, 1 pound Hershey	33c
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**Editorial**

We are hearing a lot of compliments from tourists and other travelers these days on what a fine looking community this is. Glad you noticed it folks; it seems that way to us too.

Ray Brownfield has returned from the Lubbock sanitarium and is

getting his usual good health back again of which we are very glad.

"Now I'll do the dic- While girls are flap- tating, said the stenog- rapher, after she mar- ried her boss.

Holgate - Enderse- Hardware Company have started their new building. Roy Win- gerd is the contractor.

erys and W. H. Ray's houses this week with Oriental stucco.

LUNCCH "Hot stew?" "No, 'stoo hot."

Ray Brownfield has added a servant house to his home this week.

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**"LOS CONQUISTORS DE GOMEZ"**

Mr. Davis met with us Wednesday night July 25th.

We are very glad that five of our boys go to attend A. & M. Short Course. Edward Walker was in grain judging, Happy Hudson, Fancher Gaston, Reuben Leach and Marvin Burks were delegates.

The box super was a wonderful success. Eleven boxes, two pies and a cake brought \$46.76. We want to thank the candidates for what they did for us. Everyone reported a nice time.

We have two new club members; Charles D. Reid and Marvin Burks. There will be more to join in canning next month.

One of the club members that has had her pig only a short time reports that he has gained forty nine pounds. You other club members had better get to work if you intend to beat Gomez.

If you are failing in things you had sought, Stop your crying. Fortunes Fair from dreams are wrought just by trying.

Whatever you be raising: calves or Hogs or just them all, Whether you be large or small, If you falter you will fall Helpless dying.

Press on and on and keep a trying Victoria demands you keep acclimbing You will reach that aim so high, See dawn burst above the night, And be bound to win your fight, Just by trying.

—Reporter.

**FORESTER FEARLESS FIGHTERS**

Wasn't the rain fine! My, how the weeds are growing as well as the crops.

Hurrah! for the boys and girls that went to A. & M. Don't you all hope that they have a nice time while the rest of us hoe cotton?

Three of our club members got to go to A & M; Arthur Lee Rogers on stock judging and LeRoy Crane as delegate. How we home folks miss him!

I have never told you about our pic-

super that we had on July 3rd. We had thirteen pies and they brought \$26.75. I thought that did fine.

We certainly thank the candidates for their liberal support.

We had with us Mr. Davis and Mr. Williams. They gave us splendid talk.

Oh! and Rally day! But didn't we all have a nice time. We certainly thank the people of Brownfield for their hospitality on that day.

We thank the editor for his kindness to us.

Let us hope we will have another enjoyable day in the near future.

—Reporter.

Mrs. R. C. Speegle, accompanied by Miss Queenelle has returned to her home at Hamlin after a visit with her sister-in-law Mrs. Arthur Sawyer.

Isn't it amazing how a married couple can be perfectly happy one moment and madder than tigers the next?

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION**

A. E. Pool et al vs. R. C. Cooksey et al No. 1083 in the District Court of Terry County, Texas.

The State of Texas to the Sheriff or any Constable of Terry County,— Greeting:

You are hereby commanded, that by making publication of this Citation in some newspaper published in the County of Terry once in each week for four consecutive weeks previous to the return day hereof, you summon R. C. Cooksey, and the unknown heirs of R. C. Cooksey if he be dead, and Rosie Cooksey, wife of the said R. C. Cooksey, and if she be dead the unknown heirs of Rosie Cooksey, whose residence is unknown, to be and appear at the next regular term of the District Court of Terry County to be holden at the Court House thereof, in the City of Brownfield, on the fourth Monday in August, A. D. 1928, the same being the 27th day of August, A. D. 1928, then and there to answer a petition filed in said Court on the 29th day of June, A. D. 1928, in a suit, numbered on the Docket of said Court, No. 1083 wherein A. E. Pool, W. E. Pool and C. G. Goodman are plaintiffs, and R. C. Cooksey and Rosie Cooksey, his wife, are defendants; the nature of plaintiffs demand being substantially, as follows, to-wit:

That on Feb. 23rd, 1924, defendant R. C. Cooksey made, executed and delivered to plaintiffs nine Vendor's Lien notes payable to order of plaintiffs on or before February 23rd, 1926 to February 23rd, 1934, eight for \$258.50 each, and one for \$800.00, each note providing that in event default be made in its payment all of

said notes could be declared due and payable at option of holder, and also providing for 10% atty's fees and that said notes were given in part payment for the Southeast Quarter of Section 30 in Block D-11 in Terry County, Texas, and the Vendor's Lien retained to secure payment of said notes in deed from plaintiffs to defendant, R. C. Cooksey, of even date with said notes.

That the Note for \$800.00 was by plaintiffs transferred, assigned and delivered to Temple Trust Company, and the Lien securing its payment made a superior lien to that securing the payment of the remaining eight notes.

That the defendant, R. C. Cooksey, by his deed of conveyance, conveyed said property to the defendant, Rosie Cooksey, and, among other considerations the defendant Rosie Cooksey assumed the payment of the indebtedness above mentioned.

That the defendants defaulted in the payment of the note and annual interest due and payable on February 23rd, 1928, and plaintiffs have declared all of said notes due and payable, except the note for \$800.00, filed this suit thereon, and ask for a foreclosure of the Vendor's Lien on the land and premises above described for order of sale, and for such other and further relief, special and general, in law and equity to which plaintiffs may be entitled, etc.

Herein fail not, but have you before said Court on the first day of next term thereof this writ with your

return thereon, showing how you have executed the same. Given under my hand and seal of

said Court, at office in the City of Brownfield, Texas, this the 29th day of June, A. D. 1928.

Witness, Jay Barret, Clerk of District Court in and for Terry County, Texas.

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1 GALLON BLACKBERRIES	54c
1 GALLON APRICOTS	59c

5 lbs. Red Hen Jelly	46c
4 lbs. Raisins	36c
No. 2 Standard Corn	11c
14 ozs. Catsup	21c

Quart Mustard	21c
10 ozs. Sweet Pickles	23c
12 ozs. Apple Butter	8c
No. 2 1/2 Apple Butter	27c

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1/2 Gallon Ice Cream Freezer	1.99
3 Quart Freezer	3.75
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Witness, Jay Barret, Clerk of District Court in and for Terry County, Texas.

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Rev. John Chisholm returned last week from Homewood, Mississippi, where he held a very successful revival. Homewood is situated some 60 miles from Jackson, the state capitol.

Arnett Bynum of the Rialto Theatre and Glenn Akers of Fort Worth, who has been here visiting his mother, Mrs. A. J. Akers, took in the Carlsbad Caverns last week.

Rev. M. C. Bishop, of Post, pastor of the Post Baptist church and editor of the Baptist Visitor, together with his wife and daughter, were visitors Tuesday night to the Lancaster revival going on here.

Rev. E. V. May requests that we announce that he will start a revival at the Johnson school house next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Other services and time will be announced at that time.

Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Krueger and children, accompanied by Miss Emma Krueger, of Clifton, Texas, are guests at the home of their brother, Mr. O. F. Krueger and family, 7 miles north of this city.

Uncle Tom Yates of Yoakum county was over this week and paid the Herald a short call.

## RIALTO

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MONDAY—TUESDAY

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NEWS . . . COMEDY

FRIDAY

Bebe Daniels

—IN—

"THE FIFTY-FIFTY GIRL"

Fifty-fifty while the world runs along smoothly but—the glory's all yours when trouble brews. That's Bebe's theory in "The Fifty-Fifty Girl." But it's fun to watch her do it.

FOX VARIETY . COMEDY

SATURDAY

Tom Mix

—IN—

"THE ARIZONA WILD CAT"

NEWS . . . COMEDY

Dock Powell and J. W. Fitzgerald left last Friday for San Antonio and Brownsville, Texas, with Matamoras, Mexico as their final objective, according to Dock.

F. B. McGuire and family, of Guillard, Texas, were up the past week visiting Mrs. McGuire's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Lewis. Mr. McGuire said that they had average crops in his section, and that he believed we had the best prospects here that we have had since he has been visiting the county for the past twelve years.

Mrs. H. F. Adams presented the writer with several peaches of a second crop this year off the same tree. It also bore two crops last year. The second crop was rather small, tasted more like an apricot, and had seed like an apricot. Very fine in flavor. Let us hear from our horticulturalists on this phenomena, and especially Messrs. Davis and Williams.

Mrs. H. R. Gorman paid the Herald a visit Wednesday and had us send the Herald to her son, R. M. Gorman of Cooleedge, Texas. Mrs. Gorman says that her son has never been to this country and that she wants him to learn something of it.

Editor James L. Dow of the Lubbock Avalanche, passed through this week on his way home from Seagraves, where he went on business. He paid the Herald a short call, but found the editor out.

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT—AUTHORIZING LEGISLATURE TO GRANT CONFERRATE PENSIONS REGARDLESS OF DATE PENSIONER CAME TO TEXAS OR WHEN WIDOW MARRIED PENSIONER OR WHEN SHE WAS BORN.

H. J. R. No. 15.)

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION.

Proposing an amendment to Section 51, Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas, authorizing a tax levy for Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows, and providing for submission of same to the qualified electors of this State at any election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, and providing the necessary proclamation and appropriation to defray expenses of proclamation, publication and election.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Section 51, of Article 3, of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read as follows:

"The Legislature shall have no power to make any grant or authorize the making of any grant of public moneys to any individual, association of individuals, municipal or other corporations whatsoever; provided, however, the Legislature may grant aid to indigent and disabled Confederate soldiers and sailors under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient, and to their widows in indigent circumstances under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient; to indigent and disabled soldiers, who, under special laws of the State of Texas, during the war between the States, served in organizations for the protection of the frontier against Indian raids or Mexican marauders, and to indigent and disabled soldiers of the militia who were in active service during the war between the States, and to the widows of such soldiers who are in indigent circumstances, and who are or may be eligible to receive aid under such regulations and limitations as may be deemed by the Legislature as expedient; and also grant for the establishment and maintenance of a home for said soldiers and sailors, their wives and widows and women who aided in the Confederacy, under such regulations and limitations as may be provided by law; provided the Legislature may provide for husband and wife to remain together in the home. There is hereby levied in addition to all other taxes heretofore permitted by the Constitution of Texas, a State ad valorem tax on property of seven (\$.07) cents on the one hundred (\$100) dollars valuation for the purpose of creating a special fund for the payment of pensions for services in the Confederate army and navy, frontier organizations and the militia of the State of Texas, and for the widows of such soldiers serving in said armies, navies, organizations or militia; provided that the Legislature may reduce the tax rate herein levied, and provided further, that the provisions of this section shall not be construed so as to prevent the grant of aid in cases of public calamity."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of the State at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon "For the constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances, and authorizing tax levy therefor," and "Against the constitutional amendment authorizing aid to Confederate soldiers and sailors and their widows in indigent circumstances and authorizing tax levy therefor." Each voter shall scratch out one of said clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment.

Sec. 3. The Governor shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The sum of \$5,000.00 or so much thereof as may be needed is hereby appropriated for the expense of publication of said Amendment.

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We reclean and cull all kinds of seeds. Corn is recleaned we grind for meal. Mr. English, our miller is a first class mill man.

HARRISON—McSPADDEN

## FATTY SAYS:

"I sometimes postpone a meal, but I never entirely miss one. I eat at"—

American Cafe

# NOTICE

We are moving our entire stock of Hardware to the Cook building on the northeast corner of the square and we will be glad to serve you in anything in the hardware line. Call on us when in town.

HOLGATE-ENDERSEN HARDWARE CO.

### OIL INDUSTRY OSTRACISES WASTE

"The oil industry soon will vie with the packing trade, which utilizes all of the pig but the squeal," says a recent news item.

Formerly what is called "lean gas" has been worthless because of its low gasoline content, and the large quantities of it found in Texas gas fields have never been utilized.

Now a company is erecting a new type of refinery which will extract gasoline from this once waste product. Production is to be carried on on a large scale to make it profitable.

This is another example of the progress the oil industry is making in

effecting economy in operation and efficiency in production. In the past few years great strides have been made; many by-products that previously were considered so much waste matter have been forced to yield a value.

This economy, in the last analysis, benefits the public, and is the reason for the almost phenomenally low price of gasoline in America.

The oil industry has passed through the stage of prodigal methods. Today it is on a sound economic basis.

Shamrock—Capital stock will soon be completely subscribed for a new creamery here.

Send the Herald back home. \$1.50

### TOO MANY OF 'EM

The editor of the Big Spring Herald took occasion last week to "rap" the fellows who say "don't say anything about this until everything is jake," and then when an out of town daily reaches his desk the next morning he finds the "whole story" printed in it. He puts his little editorial high up on the front page with a box around it. And the fellow who didn't see it was blind if he was a Herald subscriber. But that's the case. The home town news is requested to be squelched, when it is possible that very fellow is correspondent of some foreign daily, and then the home subscriber wonders why the news published in the out-of-town daily exclusive of home paper. And, too, once in a while a fellow will request the editor not to say anything about a certain piece of news because the time is not yet ripe, and when the paper comes out next, raises a ruckus because it wasn't printed and says the editor doesn't like him. Sometimes we think the editor ought to take the bit between his teeth, get the facts in the case, and print them to his own satisfaction.—Graham Leader.

### HER PAST

They were very much in love with each other, and the young girl had recently accepted an engagement ring from her sweetheart.

Although everything was perfectly planned for their future, the young man was inquisitive to the point of folly.

"Tell me, dear," he pleaded, "have you ever been kissed before?"

The girl blushed. She did not know what to say for the best.

"Well, ye-es; only twice," she confessed reluctantly.

"What?" he shrieked, "Who by?"

"Don't be ridiculous, dear," returned the girl. "It was only the church choir and the baseball club."

### SUCH BRASS

Miss (to maid that she is trying to train)—"And mind you clean all the brass before you go."

Maid—"I have madam—all but your rings and bracelets."—Passing Show.

Pampa—Pampa is making preparations to entertain the Panhandle-North Plains district convention of the WTCC this fall.

Christoval—Thousands of people are in attendance at the 18th annual Baptist encampment here.

Snyder—Gov. Dan Moody and the members of the Highway Commission accompanied the WTCC motoreade to McKittrick canyon.

## RHEUMALAX ELIEVES RHEUMATISM

Rheumatics, why suffer? When you can have relief so surely and quickly. RHEUMALAX is an internal remedy which removes the poison from your body by elimination or costs you nothing. Sold and guaranteed by Alexander Drug Store.

## CHICKENS POULTRY RAISERS GIVE YOUR FOWLS

## STAR PARASITE REMOVER

A highly concentrated sulphurous compound. Not only will it keep them free of destructive blood-sucking insects, but will tone their system, improve their appetite, cause earlier and easier moult, resulting in earlier and more eggs for fall. Try it 30 days, then come back and get your money if not thoroughly satisfied. Sold at all drug stores.

## Odd Mixture Made of Business and Religion

In uptown New York there is a negro church in which attending services is an all-day affair on Sundays. The congregation spends from eight to ten hours in the house of prayer, and meals and social circles interlard sermons and Bible classes.

Perhaps the most practical feature of the weekly gathering has to do with business. Members of the flock are invited to pass along their special wants to the pastor and he in turn proclaims them from the pulpit. Thus, if one has a piano or a parlor set for sale it may be described as alluringly as desired, the price mentioned and the name and address of the "brother" or "sister" broadcast. If one wants a job or a boarder the details are set forth in the same manner. Recently a case of theft was handled as follows:

"Mah dear brothers an' sistern, Mis' Amanda Rose Abernathy has lost her beautiful pearl brooch—at least she likes to think it were lost, but she know the devil often find things for folks what ain't lost—so if any of you have found it, in such eventuality please return it to the lawful owner thereof. An' to save embarrassments and humiliations I would suggest that the finder of the lovely brooch put it in de little collection envelope."—New York Sunday Times.

## "Singing" Mud Rivers Alter Andes Skyline

One of the most interesting features of the Andes, the great backbone of cordilleras covering the northern part of South America, says Nature Magazine, is its "singing" rivers of mud.

During certain seasons of the year rain falls in torrents, converting the foothills of the mountains into actual streams of flowing gumbo, and so rapidly is this erosion occurring, the whole outline of a chain of mountains may become unrecognizable in the course of a year.

The higher cordilleras, with altitudes of 10,000 to 12,000 feet, are being washed down at the rate of five feet or more a year, and it is believed that in a few centuries the Andes will be leveled and formed into vast plateaus like the hinterland of Patagonia.

The mountains are composed, for the most part, of glacial moraine, a mixture of powdered rock and clay. The winter rains carry this alluvial material down the valleys in a semi-liquid state and form vast plains. It gurgles with a musical sound like poured molasses.

### Wonderful Microscope

A microscope capable of magnifying an object 12,000,000 times is being used in the detection of disease germs.

### Odd Names for Banana

Before the sixteenth century the banana was known as the "apple of paradise" and "Adam's fig."

### Gold in Music

New York.—There is gold in music. Anglicans are estimated by George Engles, manager for various artists, to spend \$20,000,000 a year to hear the best.

Rotan—A water and gas jubilee was staged here August 8th.

Stinnett—Stinnett has organized a Lions Club which will strive to promote civic development.

Big Lake—This city is installing a new sewerage system.

Pecos—Contract has been let for the erection of a \$60,000 high school building with gymnasium and auditorium.

Tahoka—Seventeen car loads of hogs have been shipped from Lynn county recently, one farmer having shipped half of this figure.

Justiceburg—A bridge is being constructed across Double Mountain river here.

Stamford—An All West Texas exhibit will be shown at five major fairs of the southwest by the WTCC Exhibit department this fall.

Ozona—The citizens of Ozona residing west of Johnson draw are subscribing money for a bridge there.

Portales, N. M.—Portales has improved its courthouse square with a sidewalk and flower beds and grass.

Muleshoe—Work on a modern gin in Muleshoe started the first of Aug.

Spearman—Plans are under way for holding the Trans-Canadian district convention of the WTCC here within a few months.

Robert Lee—The commission form of government has recently been established here.

El Paso—A nine story addition to the Hussmann Hotel is to be built here at once.

Vernon—The Publicity Committee of the WTCC will meet in Vernon on August 18th.

Merkel—Nineteen perfect pigs are in the litter of the O. I. C. sow on a farm near here.

# SOCIETY and Club

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### MRS. HARRISS ENTERTAINS I-DEAL CLUB.

Mrs. R. L. Harris entertained the I-Deal Club Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock. Hand painted handkerchiefs were given for the table cuts, and Mrs. Wingerd received a pair of pretty silk underwear for high. Mint ice, angel food cake and punch were served.

Club members and guests were, Mesdames Bailey, Ralph Carter, B. Hunter, McDuffie, Flem McSpadden, Collins, A. A. Sawyer, DuBois, Michie, W. C. Smith, Dallas and Wingerd.

### PRISCILLA CLUB ENTERTAINED

Mrs. John Scudday was hostess to the Priscilla club Wednesday afternoon. This was Sunshine Friend Day, and many pretty gifts were exchanged. Sandwiches, iced tea and fresh fruits were served to Mesdames Griffin, Dunn, Pounds, Brothers, Gracey, McClish, L. McPherson, Wooldridge, L. W. Howard and Kendrick.

### IDLE WIVES CLUB HOSTESS

Mrs. Tom May entertained the Idle Wives Club Tuesday afternoon at four o'clock. Mrs. McGowan won high score in bridge and Mrs. Miller next. High was a pair of pretty hand embroidered pillow cases and second was a pretty yellow smoked pillow.

The hostess served pink and white angel food cake and pink and white brick cream.

The guests were Mesdames McGowan, Dallas, McDuffie, Alexander, Copeland, Arthur Sawyer, Shelton, Bowers and Misses Laure and Christina Sawyer with Mrs. Ray Brownfield, Mrs. J. H. Griffin and Mrs. M. B. Sawyer as tea guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Redford Smith and Mrs. Stevens Hopson were Lubbock visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Brownfield and daughter, Miss Francis, left Saturday morning for El Paso to visit their son and brother, A. D. Brownfield and family. From there they will go to California. Mrs. Roy Wingerd accompanied them to El Paso.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Holmes spent the week end in Lorenzo with Supt. Fagala and family. Mr. and Mrs. Fagala returned with them for a short visit.

R. L. Bowers and family spent the week end in Lorenzo visiting relatives.

Quite a few of the merchants have gone and others are going to market to buy their new fall goods.

Miss Lena Stewart left Friday for St. Louis to buy for the Head-Hargrave Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins left Thursday for Dallas to buy for the Collins Dry Goods. Mr. Self and Miss Wilson left Monday to assist them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Knight left for Dallas to buy furniture for Hudgens & Knight. Mrs. Knight will also visit her mother at Graham.

Dr. A. J. Lovell of Dalhart is the guest of Dr. Graves and family.

Mrs. Claud Hudgens has as her guests, her niece, Miss Ollie Stewart, and her nephew, C. L. McDaniel, wife and children, all of Cisco.

### MISS IRENE DITTO WEDS MR. DUKE OF CROWELL

Miss Irene Ditto and Mr. Walter Duke were married Monday evening at eight thirty o'clock at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. W. W. Ditto. Rev. E. V. May officiated, using the ring ceremony with only a few friends and relatives present.

The bride wore a white dress of crepe romaine with rhinestones trimming. The altar was beautiful with white carnations and ferns.

Mrs. Duke has been reared in Brownfield and is popular in church and society circles. She attended Abilene Christian College and was keeping books in Big Spring when the romance started.

Mr. Duke is one of the officials of the Marland Oil Company and was

formerly of Big Spring but is now stationed at Crowell where they will make their home.

After the ceremony punch and cake was served, with Mrs. Walter Gracey, and Mrs. Jack Stricklin presiding at the punch bowl.

The many friends join in wishing them happiness and prosperity.

### THE LEAF WORM MAKES APPEARANCE IN TEXAS

Careful observation during a trip just completed extending from Dallas to San Antonio, Corpus Christi, and to the Lower Rio Grande Valley as far as Brownsville did not reveal to us any damage being done by the leaf worm, nor did we observe any individuals of the insect, either as the worm or as the adult moth, advises R. K. Reppert, Entomologist, Extension service, A. & M. College of Texas. These observations revealed that our cotton crop is practically free of damage by this insect at this time.

Since our return, however, two live individuals of the worms have been sent to us from Nueces County, and the presence of these worms is serious damage was not reported of interest only as showing that initial infestation exists. As related in a previous press letter, weather conditions will determine largely whether this infestation will develop to serious proportions. Frequent showers over the state will be favorable to the rapid multiplication of the insect.

We do not believe, however, unless serious infestation now exists in some sections not yet reported to us, that the cotton growing area as a whole need not fear any serious damage for the next two weeks, or before the 10th of August. Weather conditions will largely determine what the situation will be subsequent to that date.

On July 30th, after preparation of the above article, we have a report of a light infestation of the worm near Spur in Dickens county. This combined with the rains several days previous in many sections of Texas might lead to a heavier infestation in the next two weeks.

### THIS IS THE WAY IT OUGHT TO BE

Farmer enters the bank and seats himself within easy talking range of the banker.

Farmer—"Mr. Banker, I have been making a study of feeding. Instead of planting all cotton this year, I have produced and have on hand, 2,000 bushels of corn, 1,500 bushels of oats, and have an abundance of hay and other roughage. The city market for these things is not very good, and I have decided to make my own market and also make a start in building up my soil."

Banker—"Well, Mr. Farmer, what do you propose to do?"

Farmer—"Well, it is like this: I have the feed and the time, and with your help I propose to buy enough well bred feeder stock to consume this feedstuff I have on hand. The market looks as though it was going to hold up, and even if it does not I will thus be able to get a pretty good price for my corn, oats and hay. The increase in weight and quality will fully protect us both."

Banker—"Your argument is sound. If I buy the feeders and you provide the feed and labor, I can't see how I can lose unless you fall down on the job as a feeder, and I have known you for many years and you have been a good farmer. The proposition in itself is alright, for every pound of feed you put into those animals the better my security becomes. The other factor in the case is my confidence in your ability and integrity. I have that confidence and you can have the money. How much do you want?"—Farm and Ranch.

### COME HITHER, EH!

"I smiled at a girl last night, and as she passed she gave me a smile in return."

"What followed?"

"I did."—Everybody's.

Silverton—The first car load of flour has been shipped into here from Plainview over the recently completed rail line.

Beware of the man who looks like a near genius.

## TRY THIS ONE ON YOUR PIANO

Daughter's at the bathing beach  
The day is hot and sunny . . .  
And mother is up town shopping  
Spending Papa's money  
Daddy on the golf links hungry  
As a Bear . . .  
And food to fill the whole  
Bunch is in the . . .

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CLYDE GROSS

CARTER CHEVROLET COMPANY—PHONE 100

# Piece Goods Sale

**IS GOING GOOD AND WILL CONTINUE until we have made room for our new fall stock So Come and share with others the values we have to offer you. The manager, R. A. Hoover, is now in St. Louis buying merchandise for Fall. You can depend on us for quality and style at the right price. Why? Because we know values and we have the buying power. Watch our windows.**

## Jones Dry Goods, Inc. Brownfield Texas

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### Meadow Briefs

By Aesculapias

The past week a pamphlet has found its way into our midst having the interesting title "Al Smith, Rome and Tammany." In the coming months we will hear and read much truth and untruths on the three topics.

Whether or not the writer is the hired flunky of the Republican Campaign Committee will never be known. It is being introduced by private sales men at 25c a copy. On the front page in large letters is the above title and a picture of the Pope with a figure of our Uncle Sam on his knees kissing the Pope's big toe.

The custom of kissing the big toe of His Holiness was an act early practiced by the devout Catholic and at the time of the Popes greatest power, this act of servitude and obedience was compulsory on all who came in his presence. I am not aware of non-Catholics having complied with this ancient custom in recent years. In fact I am quite sure they do not. The kissing of the ring worn by the high church officials however, is still in vogue, and the toe is also perhaps kissed by Catholics if required.

The brochure starts out by giving a short biography of Governor Smith. The same authority also says that he attended the parochial schools until 13 years of age. "Up from the City Streets," a sketch of his life in World's Works for Oct. 1927, page 594, says he quit school at 15. That he won the medal for elocution inscribed, "Alfred E. Smith, Elocution." Went to work for self and mother in a fish market. The writer speaks slightly of his education.

It was more than Shakespeare had, very much more than Andrew Jackson, Abraham Lincoln, Andy Johnson, and fully equal to that of George Washington. These fellows were able to push along, get pretty near any kind of public preference they wanted and are apt to be remembered as long as the author under discussion.

He next charges that: In the assembly he followed the machine in support of bad measures. He doesn't describe them. In 1909 he voted against public interests. Doesn't explain how? In 1910 he opposed primary and election laws. He doesn't

know the nature of the laws opposed. In 1911 opposed progressive reforms. He doesn't state what reforms. In 1912 opposed direct primary bill. This thing is opposed by a large number of prominent men in all parties, and other things are introduced I presume to fill up space, and winds up his tirade by saying on page 3, that Governor Smith is a good man, personally will be conceded. He assumes that Smith's association with Tammany and the Catholic church totally disqualifies him for public service. He then launches into a crusade against the Pope and misuse of power and persecutions. This has been done so many times and so thoroughly done that there is no use of any man or woman who has sense enough to vote that doesn't know the trials of blood and fire, racks and other instruments of torture used during the thousand years which he covers by the human brutes in power. It, however, was not confined to Popes, but kings and their henchmen assisted in the slaughter of those who opposed their will. We might go back to the good old days of the Bible and bring forward the curses to be found in Leviticus. The wholesale massacres by the Judges and kings of Israel of helpless men, women and children who fell into their hands, along with the crucifixion of Christ. If per chance a Jew should offer himself for office, he still believes that the Book of the Law given by Moses is binding on his conscience. The Catholic in the infallibility of the Pope.

Very much that he urges against Smith has been denied time and again. The charges of prostitution being protected by Smith, was recently urged by William Allen White, and almost immediately retracted by him. He next goes into the Mexican question, and would have you believe that Smith would immediately intervene in behalf of the Catholics who have been driven out of Mexico for non-compliance with the constitution and laws passed for enforcement. Now, as a matter of fact Smith emphatically said that he is not in favor of this government intervening into the affairs of other nations. The use of friendly representations in the matter of persecutions or on behalf of individuals that this government believes might have been unfairly treated, is

frequently offered by one nation to another. Among the last was with Russia before the World War in behalf of the Jews. In reply the Russian government called attention to our treatment of the negroes and Indians. This spiked our guns and we have not interferred with Russia since.

This author, however, seems to forget that his proteges, the Republicans, are now in a supposedly friendly country with an army, at the behest of the moneyed interests, or as this is a Catholic country, it may be that they are at the bottom of our friendly offices down there. I have the two pamphlets issued by the Knights of Columbus after the Philadelphia meeting in 1926. The first bears date of Jan. 21, 1927 and asked contributions. The second was a pastoral letter by the Catholic Episcopate of the U. S. On page 27 of the pamphlet, it is expressly stated, "It is no interposition of our influence either as bishops or citizens to reach those who have political power any where on earth, and least of all in our own country, that they should intervene with armed forces in the internal affairs of Mexico for the protection of the church." As this fellow has a great deal to say about the Constitution and laws that routed the Catholics and others from Mexico, I will give a sample. They are forbidden:

- To own church real estate, or mortgages on the same.
- To own church buildings, or any other buildings.
- To possess invested funds or any other productive property.
- To maintain convents or nunneries.
- To conduct primary schools. A good law; we wish we had it.
- To direct or administer charitable institutions.
- To hold religious ceremonies outside church buildings.
- To clothe their ministers with a garb indicative of their calling.
- They are forbidden to criticize laws or the authorities of the government.
- They may not vote, hold office or assemble for political purposes.
- No religious periodical may comment on political affairs. The number of ministers are fixed by the state.
- The government regulates public worship.

Rather drastic compared to most countries, but it isn't any of our business.

He also devotes much space to Tammany, especially its past. In fact the distant past fills most of his pamphlet and leads one to believe the motive is to stir up passions of protestants against catholics over the early persecutions of that church.

Protestants are not stirred up by Smith's witness, and the writer knows this full well, as he has little to say on this feature of the case, still prohibition is the stalking horse.

He pays his respects to the attitude of the catholic church on persecution of the early scientists and drags in Copernicus, Galileo and other astronomers as examples. Unfortunately he has nothing to say of the persecution by protestants of a teacher of biology in Tennessee a few years ago, his conviction, fining, together with dismissal from the school. Let us smile. This was not four hundred years ago as was in the case of the others. Yes, the protestants have started an Index Expergatorius of their own in the 20th century. You can't teach a country school if you have read Darwin's Decent of Man and the trustees find it out.

The nation is not, nor never has been ruled by Tammany. Whatever its record, and it is bad, its activities have been confined to the city and state of New York. It is also just to admit that it is neither better nor worse than any of the boss and gang ridden cities of the United States.

He alludes also to the execution of Ferrer in Spain as one of the recent acts of the catholic church. Ferrer was an anarchist and publisher of an anarchist paper, and was charged with participation in the treasonable riots of Barcelona, Spain in 1905. He was convicted and shot by the Spanish government. He had at his own expense opened what he called the Modern School, and doubtless accomplished some good. Let us keep the record straight.

All signs point to a fight on the religious issue, pure and simple. Those who urge prohibition do so to appear tolerant. I have not talked to any who expect to vote for Hoover who do not urge the religious features. Sixty per cent of the people are personally wet. Those yelling the loud-

est for prohibition drink the most when they can get it.

### IN RE GUARDIANSHIP

Of the Estate of Bertie Evelyn Lowe, and Mary Kathryn Lowe, Minors, No. 138, in the County Court of Terry County, Texas, in vacation.

Notice is hereby given, that I, I. A. Lowe Guardian of the Estate of Bertie Evelyn Lowe and Mary Kathryn Lowe, minors, have this day filed my application in the above entitled and numbered cause for an order of the County Judge of Terry County, Texas, for an order authorizing me as the guardian of the estate of said wards to make a mineral lease upon such terms as the Court may order, and direct, of the following described real estate belonging to said wards, to-wit: an undivided one-half interest in and to Surveys No. 3 and 10, Block C-37, Terry County, Texas and the east 251 acres of Survey No. 19, in Block C-31, land in Gaines County, Texas.

Said application will be heard by the County Judge at the Court House in the city of Brownfield, Texas, on the 13th day of August, A.D. 1928.

I. A. Lowe,  
Guardian of the Estate of Bertie Evelyn Lowe, and Mary Kathryn Lowe.

### THANKS VOTERS

I take this method of thanking the voters of Commissioners Precinct No. 3 for giving me another term as their commissioner. With no ill will toward any, but with a promise to serve all to the best of my ability, I beg to remain,

Very truly yours,  
J. W. Lasiter.

Herald tells more than your letter.

### PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT PROVIDING FOR A STATE BOARD OF EDUCATION AND RELATING TO TERMS OF SCHOOL OFFICERS.

H. J. R. No. 14.)  
Proposing to amend Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas by adding thereto Section 16, providing that the term of all officers of the public free school system, including State institutions of higher education, may be fixed not to exceed six years; proposing to amend Section 8 of Article 7 of

said Constitution, authorizing the appointment or election of a State Board of Education to serve not to exceed six years; requiring said amendments to be submitted to the people for adoption and making appropriations therefor.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Section 1. That Article 7 of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended by adding thereto Section 16 as follows:

"The Legislature shall fix by law the term of all offices of the public school system and of the State institutions of higher education, inclusive and the terms of members of the respective boards, not to exceed six years."

Section 2. That Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution be amended so as to hereafter read as follows:

"The Legislature shall provide by law for a State Board of Education, whose members shall be appointed or elected in such manner and by such authority and shall serve for such terms as the Legislature shall prescribe not to exceed six years. The said board shall perform such duties as may be prescribed by law."

Sec. 3. The foregoing constitutional amendments shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State, at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, A. D. 1928, at which all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

(1) "For the amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

"Against the amendment to Article 7, adding Section 16, providing that school officers, including boards of institutions of higher education, shall serve for a term not exceeding six years."

(2) "For the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

"Against the amendment to Section 8 of Article 7 of the Constitution, providing for the appointment of a State Board of Education."

Each voter shall scratch out one of the above listed clauses on the ballot, leaving the one expressing his vote on the proposed amendment to which it relates.

Sec. 4. The Governor of this State is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation ordering an election to determine whether or not the proposed constitutional amendments set forth herein shall be adopted, and to have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. And the sum of five thousand (\$5,000.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated to defray the expenses of printing said proclamation and of holding said election.